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A MERRY CHRISTMAS

1964

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The Afternoon Daily Newspaper For Murray and Calloway County

United Press International In Our 85th Year Murray, Ky., Thursday Afternoon, December 24, 1964 Murray Population 10,100 Vol. LXXXV No. 304

Seen & Heard Around MURRAY

Somewhere on the college campus there is a squirrel today which would be unpopular in Russia.

Does this squirrel have acorns to eat, or hickory nuts? Does he look forward to winter with trepidation? Will he have to rely on his natural disposition to save over the long fall for the cold months ahead?

The answer is no.

He is well ensconced in a large hole in a big tree, supplied with pecans from our kitchen.

Oldest at home decided to give

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Sales On Dark Leaf To Open January 18

Holmes Ellis, Manager of the Western Dark Fired Tobacco Growers Association yesterday reported that the opening sales for dark fired tobacco in the district will be on January 18. A meeting was held yesterday to determine the opening day.

Ellis reported that the quality is expected to be up this year and the demand sharper. The volume is expected to be down from last year.

Mr. Ellis said that the estimated volume will be about 12,100,000 pounds as opposed to the 13,280,000 pounds of last season.

The average last year was 35.06 and the average this year is expected to be higher.

Mr. Ellis said that the final one sucker sale will be held in Murray on January 7.

Dr. Fred Kendall Will Speak Sunday At Baptist Church

Dr. W. Fred Kendall, executive secretary-treasurer of the Tennessee Baptist Convention, Nashville, Tennessee, will be the guest speaker for the morning and evening worship services at the First Baptist church, Sunday, December 27.

Before assuming his present position he had held successful pastorates in Kentucky and Tennessee, and at the time of his election he was pastor of the First Baptist church, Jackson, Tennessee. Dr. Kendall has served on a number of Boards and Committees of the Southern Baptist Convention and has been a featured speaker at conferences, conventions and seminars.

Dr. Kendall was the evangelist for a revival meeting at the First Baptist church in 1952.

Weather Report

Kentucky Lake: 7 a.m. 364, no change; below dam 307.5, down 0.8; six gates open.

Barkley Dam headwater 332.6, no change; tailwater 311.8, up 0.3.

Sunrise 7:06; sunset 4:46.

Moon rises 11:16 p.m.

Western Kentucky — Mostly cloudy, windy and mild today and early tonight with scattered showers tonight. High today in low 70s. Turning much colder by morning with a low in the mid 30s. Friday cloudy and cold with scattered showers.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

The wonderful thing about Christmas is that each year, without fail, it works its miracle over again. With the approach of the Holiday Season, the spirit becomes refreshed, the heart uplifted, and the world suddenly is full of smiling people, bursting with good will towards their fellow-man.

It is in this atmosphere of good cheer and brotherly love that we wish our friends a very Merry Christmas and a Rich and Happy New Year.



The Staff of The Daily Ledger & Times Wishes Everyone a Merry Christmas And A Happy New Year

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Ten Year Old Dies After Accident

Ten year old Thomas Henry Dixon of Dexter route one died yesterday in an accident.

Lynn Funeral Home of Benton reported that young Dixon had gotten out of school about noon yesterday and was playing in his yard at home. A rope was hanging in a tree and he was swinging on the rope. It was reported that young Dixon was standing on a table playing with the rope when the table turned over. Apparently the rope was wound around his neck and when he fell, the rope caught on a knot.

His father rushed to him and unwound the rope, but apparently his neck was broken in the accident. Lynn Funeral Home said that the death was due to the accident.

Survivors include his parents Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dixon; one sister Ruth Evelyn Dixon of Dexter; three half-sisters Mrs. Dorothy Collins of Murray route two, Louise Dixon of Dexter route one and Mrs. Iva Nell Duncan of Cleveland, Ohio; one half-brother James Dixon of Dexter route one; his grandfather, John Dixon.

The funeral will be held in Duards Chapel Church in Calloway County with Bro. William McKinney officiating. Burial will be in the McDaniel Cemetery.

The Lynn Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Several Stores To Close Saturday, But Most To Be Open

Most stores in Murray will be open on Saturday according to a check downtown this week.

Closed will be both banks, insurance agencies, most laundry and dry cleaners, the court house offices, city hall offices and the postoffice.

Most retail establishments will be open for business on Saturday morning although several will be closed.

The entire city will be "closed up tight" on Christmas Day however.

The Ledger and Times will not publish on Christmas Day as usual, but will have the regular issue on Saturday, the day after Christmas.

Several after-Christmas sales will begin on Saturday and will be continued into the following week.

Over 500 Expected To Die On Holiday

By United Press International

The Christmas holiday weekend begins today with a prediction from the National Safety Council that between 550 and 650 persons will die in traffic accidents before it ends.

Hundreds of thousands of students, servicemen and travelers jammed the major arteries of transportation in a last-minute rush to make it home for the holidays. Highway casualties will be counted between 6 p.m. local time today and midnight Sunday.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. Dell Finney, her granddaughter, Martha Finney, her niece, Mrs. Wallace Chambers and daughter have just returned from Jonesboro, Ark. where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Finney's nephew, Fern Ellis. He was killed in an auto-truck accident. Ellis is a native of Calloway County and is the son of the late Mrs. Bird Wall Ellis and Kiston Ellis. He is survived by his wife and four children his father and one sister, Mrs. Gladys Farley, all of Jonesboro, Ark.

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THURSDAY - DECEMBER 24, 1964

Quotes From The News

By UNITED PRESS INTERNATIONAL

HYDESVILLE, Calif. — Mrs. Omar Larue, whose house was half covered by rising flood waters, explaining her early hesitancy at leaving:

"I wouldn't go without my cats, so I stayed awhile even though the Civil Defense people told me to leave. Finally they told me the cats would be safe."

JOHNSON CITY — Lucie Baines Johnson, irately commenting on movie star magazine stories that she was not engaged to her boyfriend, Paul Betz, and that it was all a cover-up for her engagement to someone else:

"All this is trash."

WASHINGTON — Secretary of State Dean Rusk, indicating the United States had no intention of pulling out of South Vietnam in the face of internal strife there and continued Communist designs on the country:

"We feel that we have learned in the last many decades that a persistent court of aggression left to go unchecked can only lead to a general war and therefore that the independence of particular countries is a matter of importance to the general peace."

SAVANNAH — Two live-talking hitchhikers, boasting to police of the killing of a textile executive who gave them a free ride:

"Like we might as well clear it all up, we're only going to fry once."

Ten Years Ago Today

LEDGER & TIMES FILE

Frank Holcomb and D. L. Dyebliss had charge of the program yesterday at the Murray Rotary Club meeting.

Over 400 persons will have a happier Christmas this year because of the local VFW Post who fixed baskets for many needy families in the city and county.

Mrs. Robert Crenshaw of Atlanta, Ga., arrived Sunday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sammons.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hampshire presented the program at the dinner meeting of the Euzelian Class of the First Baptist Church held at the Baptist Student Center.

Bleak Christmas Is Seen For Thousands Of Flood Victims

By MICHAEL HUDSON

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — It will be a bleak Christmas Eve for more than 7,000 persons left homeless by three days of floods in Northern California, Oregon and Idaho. The three-day rampage already has taken at least 13 lives. Debris-filled waters receded during a welcome respite from heavy rains in Northern California Wednesday, while Oregon Gov. Mark Hatfield was also optimistic when the rains slackened.

"We seem to be over the hump," he said, but he also termed it "in terms of totality and involvement of the entire state... the greatest disaster ever." At least 10 have died in Oregon.

Battle Raging Waters

In Idaho, harried flood fighters concentrated on the little farm town of Declo, whose 300 inhabitants were endangered from the bursting of an earthen dam on Marsh Creek.

Ervin Dewey, owner of the private dam, said "There's more water coming down that creek than I've ever seen and I'm 51."

A wall of water from the dam swirled down the stream, lapped over a smaller dam and spread out into lowlands around the town. Residents mobilized to build dikes to keep out the water.

While falling rain complicated the situation at Declo, the forecast for the rest of Idaho was for cooler weather and milder rains.

Worst Appears Over

In California, George DeGeorge of the California Department of Water Resources said "at this time it appears that the worst is over in California, but the picture could change at any time. If we get another heavy storm, we could be in more trouble." The long-range forecast called for only intermittent rains.

But the lower river levels proved little solace for 4,000 homeless persons facing a joyless Christmas. Fourteen lumber and resort California towns were either under water or isolated, major highways were blocked, and damage was estimated at upwards of \$3 million.

Photographer Neil Huribert reported flying over the River Region. He said he saw some persons floating down the Ed River on a house. He also saw a freight train, partly broken up, grotesquely floating on its side toward the town.

At West, the Humboldt county sheriff's office reported that the steeple of a tall church was the only building visible above the water level.

Rescue Crew Lost

Although only two California deaths were confirmed, a heroic three-man crew who rescued at least 10 flood victims was feared lost after wreckage of their aircraft was sighted about 40 miles north of Eureka. Rescuers hoped to find it this evening.

The Rest of the News

The Almanac

By United Press International
Today is Thursday, Dec. 24, the 359th day of 1964 with seven to follow.

The moon is approaching its last quarter.
The morning stars are Venus and Mars.

The evening stars are Jupiter and Saturn.

On this day in history:

In 1814, a treaty of peace was signed between the U.S. and Great Britain at Ghent, Belgium, bringing an end to the War of 1812.

In 1871, Verdi's opera "Aida" premiered in Cairo, Egypt.
In 1943, President Franklin D. Roosevelt announced the appointment of General Dwight D. Eisenhower as the commander-in-chief of Allied forces in the planned invasion of Europe.

In 1951, the United Nations proclaimed the North African nation of Libya free and independent.

A thought for the day — The prophet Isaiah said before Christ was born: "Behold a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel."

New Winter Storm Heads Toward Area

By United Press International

A wild winter storm headed toward the North Atlantic coast today, barreling toward the Midwest with a white Christmas. Temperatures sank to 27 degrees below zero in biting Arctic winds.

Fleeing rain and sleet ahead of the storm front, icy highways in Minnesota, Wisconsin and Iowa.

A witch's brew of rainstorms, fog, mudslides and swollen rivers, brimming with debris kept its strangeness on the Far West. Wild areas of Idaho, Oregon and California were a shambles, with more than 17,000 persons homeless and 13 dead.

The tiny town of Declo, Idaho, braced for the worst after surging water from Marsh Creek broke over an earthen dam during the night. A cargo plane, groping low over fog-shrouded San Bruno, California, crashed into a hillside early today, killing all three crew members.

The storm on the plains produced bad tidings for travelers. The National Safety Council estimated between 550 and 650 persons would be killed in traffic accidents during the Christmas holidays.

U. S. Highways 2, 93 and 89 in northern Montana were closed by the storm during the night. Freezing rain swept the state, covering stalled cars with layers of ice.

Local blizzard warnings were expected to reach the wreckage today and look for survivors.

The Air Force and a commercial line, Pacific Airlines, began an airlift of food into Eureka, Calif., 225 miles north of San Francisco on the coast. "Flying boxcars" and a two-engine passenger plane loaded with groceries were landing and taking off every 30 minutes in an effort to replenish the dwindling food supplies in the "redwood empire" area.

Gov. Edmund G. Brown dispatched National Guardsmen to the area, the Sixth Army sent GIs to help out and the Navy aircraft carrier U. S. S. Bennington left today with a 2,000-man crew, which will miss its Christmas on dry land. The big carrier also carried a full hold of food and medical supplies.

The explosion started fires and other Germans along 20 cars and trucks parked in the area and hurled debris in a quarter-mile radius around the barracks.

Police said the device must have weighed 100 pounds. Apparently it had been set off in a second-floor garage of the officers' quarters.

The building is the Brink brothers' officers' quarters. It houses 125 American military officers and has an officers' club and an officers' mess.

The blast occurred less than 100 yards from the hotel where comedian Bob Hope was scheduled to check in this evening.

SEEN AND HEARD...

(Continued From Page One)

Pink the squirrel his freedom since he has shown a marked proclivity for biting in recent weeks.

He took him out to the campus and turned him loose and he immediately ran to the top of the tallest tree in sight as though he knew what he was doing.

Oldest dumped out a bag full of pecans at the foot of the tree and Pink came back down.

If he will follow his instinct now, he will put them away for the rest of the winter. Being highly stative, we feel sure that he will make it ok.

It will seem lonesome now at home not to hear that constant knocking.

Our loss however is the college campus gain. In so far as the number of squirrels is concerned anyway.

We don't envy the Boone boys this week. Moving a laundry is about like moving a newspaper plant. We've moved those of those and we don't care to participate in another one.

They are going to move this week anyway and we wish them luck.

Two fellows on the job yesterday, Jim Billington and Roy Knight.

Wife's Spanish classes had a Christmas party at the house the other night.

Two girls from Venezuela there also.

Man of the house feels sort of useless in a situation like that.

We were impressed with the fact that we do not belong to the Pepsi generation.

Lady the dog has such a sorry disposition we had to put her in a room by herself.

However Moonlight the cat was the personality kid and made himself at home.

Tomorrow is Christmas once again. Merry Christmas.

LITTLE ACTION

City police reported today that one drunk and two speeders were picked up yesterday. No accidents occurred in the city.

Kentucky News Briefs

By United Press International

JURIST'S RITES SET

SCOTTSVILLE, Ky. (UPI) — Funeral services were set for 2 p.m. Saturday for Circuit Judge N. Goebel Good, 65, who died Wednesday of an apparent heart attack. Good served as judge of the 40th Judicial District — Allen and Simpson Counties — since it was created by the 1962 General Assembly.

DIRECTOR NAMED

BOWLING GREEN, Ky. (UPI) — Dee Gibson, former Western Kentucky State College basketball player, Wednesday was named director of the new Paul L. Garret Student Center at the college. He will serve also as coordinator of a new federal work-study plan at the college.

Murphy Hospital

Patients admitted from Monday 9:00 a.m. to Wednesday 9:00 a.m.

Mrs. Belle Meadows, Rt. 1, Mayfield; Arthur Horabuckie, 211 Pine; Leon Lockhart, Hales Trailer Court; Mrs. Charles Dunn and baby boy, Rt. 5, Mrs. Charles Hicks, Rt. 5, Mrs. Marshall Foster, Mrs. Liburn Rayburn, 410 So. 6th; Mrs. Ronald R. Thorn and baby boy Rt. 1, Almo; Mrs. John Rae, Jr. and baby girl, New Concord; Miss Kay Crick, Rt. 2, Mrs. Mary H. Bailey, Rt. 1, Dester; Mrs. Lattie Thurmond, Rt. 1; Mrs. Baxter Johnston and baby girl, 304 Woodlawn; Mrs. Theodore O'Bryan, Rt. 3, Benton; Grover Oakley, Box 54 Golden Pond; James Lawrence, Rt. 2, Kirksy; Mr. Connie B. Warren, Rt. 2, Kirksy; Mrs. Nolan Dees Adams, 714 Olive; Patients dismissed from Monday 9:00 a.m. to Wednesday 9:00 a.m.: Mrs. Lucile Jones, 1666 Caloway; Mrs. Preston Harris, Rt. 2, Golden Pond; Terry Weaver, Box 16, College Station; John Nance, 1715 Farmer; Mrs. Mattie Outland, Rt. 3; Samuel Crass, Whitwell Estates; J. M. Marshall, Haze; H. C. Chiles, 1104 Elm Hunter; Haddock, 1107 Elm; D. M. Bailey (Excluded); Mrs. Joe Holland, Golden Pond; Mrs. Aubrey Moore and baby boy, 107 So. 9th; Mrs. Rilla Key, Rt. 1, Hazlet; Lymon C. Colon, 596 Mills St., Louisville, Texas; Miss Margie Ann Williams, Rt. 5; Master Charles Riley, Rt. 2; Bob Ward, 1599 Sycamore; Mrs. Rudolph Howard, 1634 Miller; Mrs. Ella Adams, 506 No. 5th; Mrs. Robert Baker and baby girl, Rt. 2; Mrs. James Miller and baby boy, 716 College Court; Mrs. Allie Hughes, Pine.

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Richard Miller, president of the

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Dear Abby . . .

A Bit Too Late

Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I have gone with this young man for a year and we have decided to be married. He told me that he wants me to make a big bonfire before we are married and I am to throw in all my old scrapbooks, letters, pictures and all the reminders of my past romances. He agreed that he would do the same, but he hasn't nearly the stuff to throw in that I have. Abby, what do you think of this? Is this a general practice before marriage? Personally, I would like to keep these reminders of my past good times.

SENTIMENTAL

DEAR SENTIMENTAL: It is not a general practice, but if you were sure of your feelings for him you wouldn't question it. Tell him you'd like a little less heat and a little more light on the subject. He obviously is plagued by insecurity. Wait until you know him better before you go for the match.

DEAR ABBY: Will you please inform brides-to-be that most churches have rules and regulations about wedding procedure? I am tired of these young girls who come waiting into my office to tell me what kind of "schmaltzy" songs they are going to have in the ceremony and all the other frills and gimmicks that are not in keeping with the church's long-standing ritual. I've seen weddings ruined because brides have insisted on having tiny flower girls and ringbearers, against the advice of their clergymen. Please, Abby, ask brides-to-be to include the clergyman while making their wedding plans instead of TELLING him what they are going to do in his church.

METHODIST MINISTER IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

DEAR ABBY: My husband is always telling old jokes. Should I, or shouldn't I, laugh? Not only that, but he tells the same old jokes to the same people. His feelings are easily hurt, and I wouldn't intentionally hurt him for the world. But I can see when he starts to tell a joke that everyone has heard it before and he is boring them. When the "joke" is over, he gets a few polite little laughs and he is laughing harder than anybody. What should I do, if anything?

NOT LAUGHING

DEAR NOT: Tell your husband that his jokes, though amusing to those who have not heard them before, are growing whiskers for those who have — including you. But be gentle about it. He may be boring others, but he is obviously wowing himself. And not everybody can do that.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have just received a wedding invitation. We have never met the couple who are to be married. Our only connection with them is that the groom's mother lives across the street from us. I have a "waving" acquaintance with her and her husband, but my husband doesn't even know who they are.

Doesn't an invitation to the wedding ceremony and reception call for a wedding gift? I feel that the only reason we were invited was for

CITY ORDINANCE

NOTE:

Under the terms of KRS 81.100 thirty (30) days must elapse from the date of the final adoption of an ordinance indicating the city's intention to annex property until said property can be actually annexed by an annexation ordinance.

During the thirty-day period the ordinance of intention must be published "in at least ten issues of the daily paper published in and having the largest circulation in the city."

During this thirty-day period one

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or more residents or free-holders of the territory proposed to be annexed may file a petition in the Circuit Court protesting such annexation.

ORDINANCE NUMBER 426, BEING AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THE NEED, NECESSITY, DESIRABILITY, AND INTENTION OF THE CITY OF MURRAY, KENTUCKY, TO ANNEX CERTAIN CONTIGUOUS TERRITORY TO THE CITY OF MURRAY, KENTUCKY; AND ACCURATELY DEFINING THE BOUNDARIES OF THE TERRITORY WHICH CITY OF MURRAY, KENTUCKY, PROPOSES TO ANNEX.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MURRAY, KENTUCKY,

AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I: That it is needful, necessary, and desirable that the following described lands lying adjacent and contiguous to the present boundary limits of the City of Murray, Kentucky, be annexed to said City of Murray, Kentucky, and become a part thereof, to-wit:

"Beginning at the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of Section 22, Township 2, Range 4 East; thence east 627.85 feet to a point on the quarter section line of Section 22, Township 2, Range 4 East; thence north 1322.2 feet to a point parallel with the quarter section of Section 22, Township 2, Range 4 East; thence west 270.49 feet to a point 14 degrees and 13 minutes north; thence west 277.35 feet to a point 1 degree and 30 minutes north; thence west 92.9 feet to a point 18 degrees and 34 minutes north on the quarter section line of Sec-

tion line of Section 22, Township 2, Range 4 East; thence south 1439.17 feet with the quarter section line of Section 22, Township 2, Range 4 East to the beginning point."

SECTION II: That it is the intention of City of Murray, Kentucky, to annex to City of Murray, Kentucky, so as to become a part thereof, the territory described in SECTION I hereof.

PASSED ON THE FIRST READING ON THE 10th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1964.

PASSED ON THE SECOND READING ON THE 17th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1964.

Holmes Ellis, Mayor, City of Murray, Kentucky

ATTEST: Stanford Andrus, City Clerk D-30-C

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Our entire stock of Fall and Winter Fabrics must be cleared to the bare walls . . . Costs are forgotten . . . Be there when the door opens Saturday, 9:00 a.m. sharp . . . for the Fabric Buys of a lifetime!!

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FALL COTTONS

It's unbelievable, but here are finest quality "Famous Name" Fall and Winter Cotton Fabrics at this low, low give-a-way price. No exceptions, Cottons that sold for as high as \$1.49 a yard now at only . . .

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Entire stock of Finest Dress Fabrics now at one low, low price. Choose from Imported Suedes, Wide Wale Corduroys, Dacron and Cotton Blends and many, many other Suitings, Skirtings and Dress Fabrics!

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No exceptions, our entire stock of finest 100% Wool Coatings, Suitings and Skirtings now at one low give-a-way price!!

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Finest Holiday Brocades, Lame', Velveteens, Pure Silks and many, many other luxury fabrics now at one low, low price. Hurry for best selection!

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CAPITOL
Holiday
Matinee
Christmas
Day
DOORS OPEN
1:00 P.M.

"Sampson and the Slave Queen"

In Color
★ P-A-T-S ★

THE 3 STOOGES in
"Around The World In A Daze"

Mrs. Keys Keel Is Program Leader At Elm Grove Meeting

"Worship Through Giving" was the theme of the program presented at the circle meeting held by the Woman's Missionary Society of the Elm Grove Baptist Church.

Mrs. Keys Keel was in charge of the program. The call to prayer and scripture reading from the book of II John was by Mrs. Earl Lee.

Those taking part in the program were Mesdames Albert Crider, Glen Hale, Charles Burken, Walton Fulkerson, and George Cossey. Mrs. Keys Keel led the closing prayer. Other members present were Mesdames James Sheell, Mason Thomas, John Stamps, Larry Sutter, Purdon Lassiter, Alfred Williams, Alvin Futrell, and Charles Henry. Mrs. Charles Devine was a visitor.

Nellie Outland Class Meets At Slaughter Home

The Nellie Outland Sunday School Class of the Cherry Corrier Baptist Church met in the home of the church pastor, Rev. Herbert Slaughter, and family for a family potluck supper and Christmas party.

Mrs. Slaughter gave an inspiring devotion. The group sang Christmas carols and games were played. Gifts were exchanged and a delicious supper was served. About twenty persons were present.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Garrett of Circleville, Ohio, will arrive in Murray Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie Churchhill. The Garretts arrived at Dawson Springs today to visit with Mr. Garrett's parents.

Spoon Feeding Too Soon Can Cause Allergy

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UPI) — Some mothers try to spoon-feed their babies too soon and this can cause allergies, a New Orleans physician said Wednesday.

"Such feeding seems particularly unwise in children who by genetic determination may have an increased chance of developing allergic disease," Dr. G. J. Frutthaler told a work session at the 58th annual convention of the Southern Medical Association.

"The early introduction of non-milk spoon-feedings seems to be a bad based more on competitive instincts than scientific fact," he said.

Frutthaler recommended that babies not be given solid foods until they reach four months. He also called for a return to breast-feeding. The mother's milk is all a baby needs for four months, he said, and it is the food his system can utilize most effectively.

Household Hints

United Press International
Drape a clean terrycloth towel over baby's high chair to absorb perspiration and protect his bare back and legs from sticking.

Insert an old burned out fuse in outdoor empty electric light sockets to keep them clean and dry.

Place an electric iron on cracked or worn pieces of asphalt or plastic floor tile to remove them easier.

Bathe diamonds with lukewarm water and ammonia, then scrub with an old toothbrush.

Pre-soak prunes in leftover fruit juices instead of water before cooking to give an appetizing flavor.

Use a hack-saw or meat-saw, instead of a knife, when cutting hard-shelled squash.

Use a meat baster to change the water in a flower bowl without disturbing the flower arrangement.

Put small items in an old nylon stocking and tie knot in open end for machine washing.

Pencil mark the shells of hard-boiled eggs "H-B" before putting them in the refrigerator. No one will mistake them for fresh eggs.

Protect rustic furniture from insects with a coat of varnish.

CAPITOL Holiday Matinee Christmas Day

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CLOSED CHRISTMAS DAY

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SATURDAY AT 9:00 A.M.

Merry Christmas

and a

Happy New Year

From The Management

AFTER CHRISTMAS

Store Opens 8:30 a.m. Saturday

Sale

SETTLE-WORKMAN'S AFTER CHRISTMAS SALE will begin on Saturday morning, December 26, and will continue through December 31, FIVE BIG DAYS! All sales will be final on this reduced merchandise.

For eighteen years Ed Settle has been in the retail business in Murray, Kentucky. It has always been his policy to advertise merchandise exactly as it is. This is our policy today at SETTLE-WORKMAN CO.

This merchandise has not been bought at close-out prices, but is regular first quality merchandise with a legitimate markup, reduced for this sale to give our customers a real honest value.

★ MENS ★		★ MENS ★		★ BOYS ★		★ BOYS ★	
Dress Pants		JACKETS		Sport Coats		Suits	
25 Per Cent Off		25 Per Cent Off		25 Per Cent Off		SALE! 25% OFF	
Reg. \$ 6.99	Sale \$ 5.24	Reg. \$10.99	Sale \$ 8.24	Reg. \$ 9.99	Sale \$ 7.44	Reg. \$24.99	SALE PRICE \$18.75
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AKC REGISTERED Pekingese pups, seven weeks old. Phone 753-3378. D-24-C

TWO 25 LB. CURED Country Hams. Over year old, 95 cents pound. Call 435-4151. D-24-C

AKC REGISTERED miniature poodles, 5 weeks old Christmas eve. Phone 753-5950. D-24-C

10-ROOM HOUSE on Olive Blvd. Has full basement, 2 full baths, wall-to-wall carpeting on all the first floor, except kitchen and bath. Has furnace heat. Price has been reduced \$1,500, for quick sale.

NEW 3-BEDROOM brick on Kirkwood has 2 full baths, garage, large paneled family room, utility room, electric heat, storm windows and doors. \$15,000.

3-BEDROOM brick on highway, 3 1/2 miles from Murray. We have two to choose from.

WHY NOT BUY a Christmas present that will last a lifetime from Roberts Realty. 505 Main. Phone 753-1651. D-26-C

71 ACRES about 5 miles from Murray, good house with new bath, good well, two ponds, good tobacco barn and stock barn, near church and grocery. Only \$16,000.

GOOD FIVE-ROOM home on three acres with bath, gas heat, on black top, near grocery, about eight miles from Murray. \$13,000.

FIVE-ROOM HOME in Murray, near college, on paved street, sewerage and etc. \$6850.

40 ACRES about nine miles west of Murray about 1/2 mile off black top on good gravel road, all good level land and wooded down, been in soil bank for past 5 years, set of old buildings. \$10,500.

SIX-ROOM HOME in Dexter on acre lot a bargain at \$6000.

GOOD FIVE-ROOM home with bath, good well on about 7 acres, about 1 mile north of Murray, all fenced and sowed down, on good gravel road. \$9000.

35 ACRES about six miles west of Murray, with modern three-bedroom home, good outbuildings and fenced. \$18,000.

NEW THREE-BEDROOM brick veneer home just outside city limits, tiled bath, storm windows and doors, carpet, nice lot, on sewerage, only \$12,500.

GALLOWAY Insurance and Real Estate Agency, Murray, Kentucky. Phone 753-5942. D-26-C

NOTICE

"GIVE A LIVE PET FOR LASTING ENJOYMENT"

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OPEN—Christmas Day to better serve you, J & S Oil, 12th Street, across from Jerry's. We accept all credit cards. D-24-C

THOROUGHbred DRIVE in will close December 28th, re-open Sunday, January 3rd 1985. Dec. 28C

WE WILL be open Xmas Day, for your gas and oil needs. Early Bird Oil Co., 10th and Chestnut, East Main Street. D-24-C

STEAM FINISHER — Experience preferred, not required. Boogie Cleaners, Court Square. D-29-C

LOST & FOUND LOST: Black and tan hound. If seen, call PL-3-6087 or write, R. J. McDougal, Almo Route 1. TFNC

AT THE MOVIES MURRAY DRIVE in tonight thru Saturday — The Vectors and Colliath and The Sun of Babylon. Starts Sunday — Kisses For My President, the story of the first lady president. Starring Fred McMurray.

CAPIOTOL — Tonight thru Saturday — Shampoo and The Slave Queen. In Color — PLUS The 3 Stooges in Around The World In 80 Days. Starts Sunday — The Long Ships Richard Widmark, Tony Pottier. In Color.

CARD OF THANKS

Dear Editor: If you would print this on Christmas day, my family, his many friends, and I, Robert Norsworthy, the grandson of the late Zolly O. Norsworthy would be most grateful.

Ten years ago today he died on the Norsworthy homestead where my parents reside today. We, that knew him and loved him, know that he was called, exactly where he wished.

He was raised there as a boy as his father before, and his son afterwards. He was a proud man of the land he turned, of the family he produced, and of the friends he made.

Some knew him for his joyful manner, some for his seriousness, some for his interests, but we as his family knew him for his love.

He was a proud Kentuckian, a hard working man, a devout liberal, a loving family man, and a true Christian.

If tears were to attest to the credibility of a mortal deserving a place in Gods Heaven, oceans would have been his credentials.

May he rest in Peace. Bob Norsworthy Paid advertisement. I-TC

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FEMALE HELP WANTED WE ARE NOW taking applications for waitress at the Triangle Inn. Apply in person. D-24-C

Wide Variety Of Memorials For President

WASHINGTON (UPI) — During the year since his assassination, John F. Kennedy has been honored by a wide variety of memorials.

Congress authorized construction of a national cultural center in Washington—a project dear to his heart—and decreed that it be named the John F. Kennedy Memorial Center.

The U. S. Space Flight Center at Cape Canaveral, Fla., was renamed Cape Kennedy.

Harvard University announced plans for a \$8 million Kennedy Memorial Library.

New York changed the name of its international airport from Idlewild to John F. Kennedy.

Berlin named in his honor the city hall plaza in which he once assured its beleaguered citizens, "Ich bin ein Berliner." "I am a Berliner."

The state of Maryland named its new turnpike "The John F. Kennedy Highway."

Hundreds of other cities and states named highways, streets, parks or public buildings in memory of the slain President.

The U. S. Treasury minted a new half dollar bearing his image. Plans are now being drawn for a permanent memorial marker at his grave in Arlington National Cemetery. It will include the "eternal flame" which has burned over the grave for the past year.

COUNTY ACTION FOR OUTDOOR RECREATION

County government officials interested in meeting growing demands for outdoor recreation facilities can now get an excellent handbook on this subject, reports the National Wildlife Federation. "County Action for Outdoor Recreation" is a new, 52-page publication of the Citizens Committee for the Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission. It outlines action programs for counties in or near metropolitan areas to set aside open space while increasingly scarce, open, undeveloped land is still available. The booklet describes how both urban and rural counties can take advantage of Federal matching grants for this purpose. Copies of the booklet are available from the Committee headquarters, 1001 Connecticut Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20036.

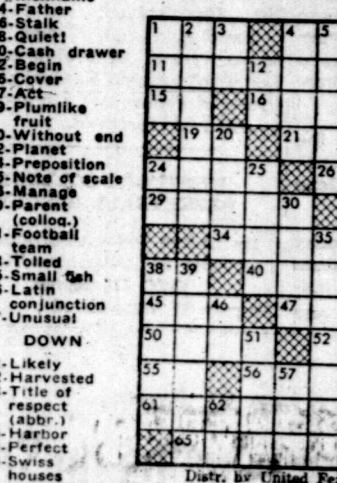
DRIVE EXTENDED

LOUISVILLE (UPI) — Several tons of clothing, canned foodstuffs and about \$170 in cash have been contributed to the Kentucky State AFL-CIO for distribution to needy Letcher County families. The drive, originally scheduled to end last week, has been extended to Monday. Contributions will be taken to Whitesburg Tuesday.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Answer to Yesterday's Puzzle

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RAILS WEST

By FRANK WYNNE

CHAPTER 15

PHIL CHANCE looked at the man who was talking to him. "You understand me, Curt?"

"Yes."

"Good."

"Now's it coming?"

"Yes."

"Well, Chance answered. 'Very well. It's a good design. That's why I know you can handle this tunnel job, Curt. You've got the ability for it. All you've got to do is develop the guts.' He put the last state-ment as bluntly as he could. He sat down on the chair before Evernight's desk and scribbled out a requisition form, with the amount and material details left blank. He signed it and handed it to Lessing. 'Here's your ticket,' he said. 'Now get to work.'"

"We'll have to tunnel," Chance said. He looked at Lessing. "That's where you come in. I want you to take a crew and get up there as quick as you can."

"Right now," Chance said. "Take all the blasting powder and equipment you'll need. I'll write you a blank requisition form for the material—you can fill it out as you see fit. When you get up there, you'll find a limestone ridge about a hundred yards down from the pass road. It runs about a hundred and ten feet thick, and you'll find it's composed of pretty loose shale. You'll have to blast all that loose stuff aside and start drilling—and make damn sure you do your blasting right, or the whole ridge will tumble down on top of you."

Lessing's eyes traveled nervously around. "I don't know," he said vaguely. "That's a pretty tall order, Phil. I'm an engineer, not a crew foreman. I've never bossed a job like that before."

"Chance stepped forward, putting down the impulse to grab Lessing by the shirt and shake him. 'I've got to depend on you to do this job, Curt. I can't spare anyone else—and besides, you're the only man we've got with the know-how to dig that tunnel properly and shore it up so that it's sound. The whole thing's in your lap now, Curt. Everyone of us will be depending on you, and you alone. You've got to do it. And, as I said more quietly, I'll tell you one other thing. If you fail on this job on account of carelessness or betrayal, I'll personally

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come after you with a gun."

"Hold it, Phil," said Evernight. "That's pretty strong talk."

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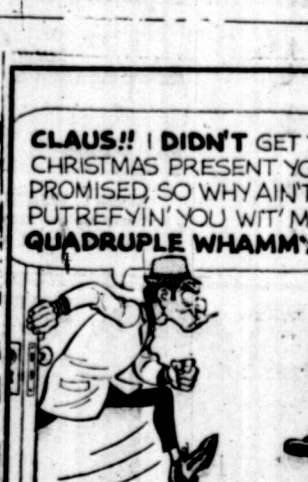
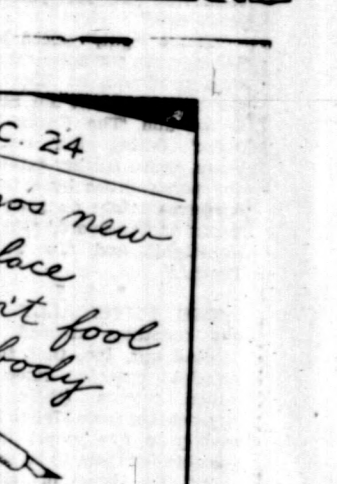
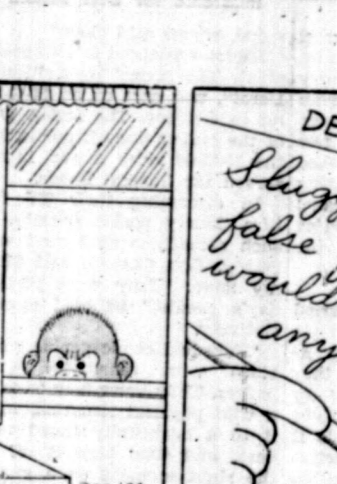
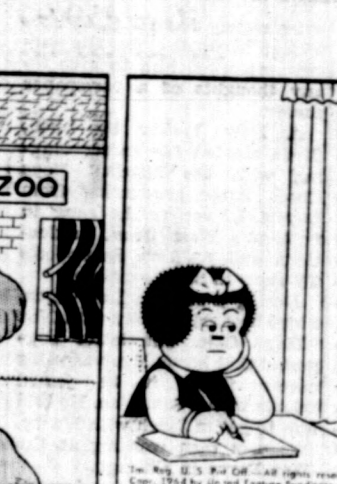
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RACERS BEAT WESTERN TO WIN TITLE

Breds Place 4 On All OVC Team

LOUISVILLE (UPI) — Cham-Steve Cunningham, completing the 10-man honor pium Murray placed four players on the all-Ohio Valley Conference team selected by newsmen covering the event.

Murray players picked for the team were John Namciu, Stu Johnson, Herb McPherson and Gene Pendleton.

Runner-up Western Kentucky placed two players on the team — Clem Haskins, voted the outstanding player of the meet, and

NRA Braces For Battle

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The NRA is bracing to battle an expected flood of proposed new gun control bills when Congress convenes in January.

There has been mounting clamor for such measures since Lee Harvey Oswald assassinated President John F. Kennedy with a cheap, mail-order rifle.

The NRA, in an editorial in the December issue of its magazine "The American Rifle," urged its members to fight stiffer federal firearms control. The organization warned that gun control bills could be expected in various state legislatures as well as in Congress.



3,000 ORNAMENTS and 960 lights bespangle this Christmas tree in the White House Blue Room. The First Family also has another tree, a smaller long needle pine, on a table in the West Hall on the second floor living quarters.

Down Morehead, Tennessee Tech, Western To Wrap It Up

LOUISVILLE (UPI) — Murray State College reigned today as champion of the first Ohio Valley Conference basketball tournament in a decade.

Coach Cal Luther's defending champions Wednesday night showed that they are going to be tough to dethrone in the OVC race, as they downed upstart Western Kentucky 77-68 in the tourney final, here.

The Racers beat Western at its own game—the fast break—with guards Gene Pendleton and Benny Goheen showing the way.

The Murray fast-break offset another sparkling performance by Western sophomore Clem Haskins, who was named the tourney's outstanding player by newsmen covering the meet.

Haskins, who handles himself with the grace and aplomb of Oscar Robertson, was the game's top scorer with 22 points. Although Murray did a good job of blocking him out in the battle of the backboards, still snared 13 rebounds to lead the Toppers.

The 70 points scored by Haskins in three tourney games set a new OVC tourney mark, eclipsing the record of 67 by Western's Bob Layvoy in 1950.

Haskins also broke the OVC tourney record for free throw attempts when he cuffed 30 of 40 foul shots in three games.

Murray got double-figure shooting from all of its starters, who showed no symptoms of fatigue from playing in their fifth game in six nights.

Pendleton and 6-foot, 8-inch Stu Johnson hit 18 points apiece. Goheen added 16, John Namciu 13, and Herb McPherson 11.

Haskins kept the game on even terms through the first half, with Murray grabbing a thin 58-55 halftime advantage. The Toppers' last lead was 35-34.

Goheen connected on five consecutive shots early in the second half to send the Racers on their way to victory.

The triumph gave Murray a season record of eight wins and two losses, including a 76-74 southerner to highly regarded Bradley.

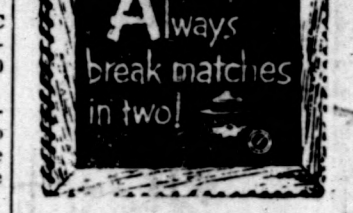
The youthful Western team, with

Western Ky.	G	F	T
Haskins	8	6-8	22
Hicks	5	2-2	12
Smith	3	2-4	8
Rhorer	3	0-0	6
Cunningham	6	0-0	12
Baker	2	2-2	4
Wicks	2	0-0	4
Totals	29	10-14	68

Murray	G	F	T
Goheen	8	2-4	18
Johnson	7	4-4	18
McPherson	5	1-1	11
Namciu	5	3-5	13
Pendleton	8	0-2	16
Hill	0	1-2	1
Miller	0	0-1	0
Totals	33	11-19	77

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TV Comedy Team Jumps on Series Bandwagon

By ED MISURELL
"HOW do we know the time is right for us to do a TV series?" rhetorically asked Marty Allen, the round member of the comedy team of Allen and Rossi.

"It's simple. We've found the right format," he continued seriously, departing from the clown image known to millions who have seen him on top TV variety shows. "We had waited for a good, long time for it to come along and had turned down a number of offers we felt were wrong for us."

"Since this idea came up we've been bubbling over with enthusiasm. And unless you feel that way before you start in something new in this business, you're dead. We're hot on the idea."

"WE'VE BEEN together a good while," broke in Steve Rossi, the slender, handsome straight man and singer of the team. "We think we're ready for it right now. We've played in clubs up and down and across the nation before all kinds of audiences. The clubs teach you your profession, sharpen your delivery, and establish your personality just as vaudeville did for performers years ago."

"That's right," added Marty. "Along with our appearances on such programs as 'The Perry Como Show,' 'The Ed Sullivan Show' and 'The Garry Moore Show' during the last few years, we've further established our personalities by saturating ourselves lately on such panel shows as 'Password,' 'The Price Is Right' and 'To Tell the Truth.'"

THE PHYSICALLY varied but mentally attuned couple pointed out, too, that their financial success since they joined talents (their salary skyrocketed from \$750 to \$10,000 weekly in five years) made it possible for them to be selective about the type of situation comedy series they would settle for.

"A few months ago, it came along," related Marty. "We were asked whether we'd like to do a series in which we would play a way-out Huntley-Brinkley type news team working for a TV station somewhere in the Los Angeles area. We felt this basic idea had great comic



Behind Marty Allen (center) and Steve Rossi (right) make life miserable for boss Roland Winters in "Holla Dorel" pilot.

scope, so we said okay."

Huddles resulted in an agreement. The series' pilot, "Holla Dorel," was shot on an M-G-M lot in October. The series, one of the earlier commitments for the 1965-66 video season, is reserved for General Foods.

In discussing their TV future, Marty spoke warmly of such comedians as Laurel and Hardy, Lou Costello and Jimmy Savo. "They were yesterday's greats," he said appreciatively.

"They had comic genius combined with sensitivity and pathos. They knew how to take a wild physical situation, milk it to a beautifully timed fullness, and then turn it off at the right moment on a gentle note. Steve and I hope we can achieve this effect in a modern way in our series."

Like many comedy teams of the past, Marty and Steve started out in show business as singles. The former, born in Pittsburgh, won the city's jitterbug championship as a teenager. While studying journalism at U.S.C., he began picking up

extra money as an M.C. and comedian in small clubs. His success prompted him to give up any thoughts of a newspaper career.

A New Yorker by birth, Steve started his career singing with the Mitchell Boys Choir. After graduating from Loyola University, he sang in numerous West Coast productions and on Don Sherwood's TV show in San Francisco.

During a stint in Las Vegas, Steve became friendly with Nat "King" Cole. The latter suggested that he could advance his career faster if he joined talents with a comedian. He told him to get in touch with Marty, who was then working at the Chez Paree in Chicago.

"Six weeks after we teamed up," Marty recalled, "Cole used us during one of his engagements. This is unheard of in show business, using an unknown team. Veteran performers usually want tried and true acts. We've never forgotten it. It was a great break for us—one that helped to put us where we are today."

Park System Had Best Year Reports Bell

FRANKFORT, Ky. (UPI) — State Parks Commissioner Robert D. Bell reported to Gov. Edward T. Breathitt today that the state's park system enjoyed its best year in history in all phases of operation.

Attendance of approximately 14 million visitors to the parks bettered by three million the previous record established in 1963.

Receipts of some \$5 million at the 34 parks and shrines topped 1963 by about a million dollars, Bell said.

In addition, he reported, tent and trailer visitations were almost double the 1963 total.

Bell attributed high occupancy percentages during the main vacation months to installation of the department's new central reservation service.

During June, July and August, vacation-type parks were fully booked, he said. There were some vacancies during March, April, May, September, October and November, he added.

The commissioner said that a study now being made by Spindletop Research Center would determine ways to extend the state park operating season with "acceptable occupancy rates."

Bell's annual report also noted that new resort lodges were opened this year at Natural Bridge State Park near Shade and at Buckhorn Lake State Park in Perry County. These were the last major projects of the \$20 million expansion program started in 1961.

Bell pointed out that land areas for two new state parks at Barkley Lake and Barren River reservoirs were leased free to the state last October by the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers. A total of 3,600 acres in shoreline property was leased on a long-term basis.

If approved by the voters next year, the proposed \$176 million bond issue would provide funds for resort-type development of these parks, Bell said.

HUNTERS HELP FIGHT FOREST FIRES

There are two schools of thought on forest fire prevention during hunting seasons, reports the National Wildlife Federation. Some states close woodlands to recreational use during periods of high fire hazard, such as occurred over much of the eastern United States during the falls of 1963 and 1964. Others, such as Missouri, do not interrupt regularly scheduled hunting seasons but ask sportsmen to help in spotting and fighting forest fires. The "Show-me" state allowed some 120,000 deer hunters to enter woodlands last fall, despite a high fire danger. During the first two days of the 1964 deer season, hunters were blamed for starting 21 out of the 74 fires reported but they were credited with fighting and helping extinguish 26 fires. Missouri officials thus credit hunters with putting out more fires than they start, all at no expense to the forest protection program.

SHRIMP BUSINESS BOOMING

Americans apparently are developing increasing appetites for shrimp, reports the National Wildlife Federation. Statistics compiled by the Department of the Interior's Fish and Wildlife Service show consumers, on a per capita basis, ate 75 per cent more shrimp in 1964 than they did in the years immediately following World War II. Sale of the tasty crustacean, both fresh and frozen, were up 22 per cent over the comparable period a year ago. The Department's Bureau of Commercial Fisheries is conducting extensive research into increasing this trend through increasing shrimp populations, finding new shrimp areas, and developing new and better harvest methods and equipment.



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